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DIED.

TALBERT—William Talbert, one of the old Washingtonians, passed away Sunday night about 10:30 p. m. One of the originals of Washington who served with Major Gen. Emory during the war, also with Gen. Campbell, who surveyed the borders of the United States. He also served four years with Capt. Campbell, the son of Gen. Campbell, all through Mexico. He was body servant for Minister Howard of England, left the United States with him and traveled the foreign countries over with him. Now he has returned to his native home and has given up the living spirit and gone to his everlasting glory above.

The funeral will take place from his residence, 1710 Twenty-first street, between R and S streets northwest. Friends are all invited to be present.

BRANCH—Annada Branch, nee Drew, the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Branch and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, departed this life in the twenty-fourth year of her age at 7:45, September 17, 1895.

Funeral at the Third Baptist Church Thursday, at 2 o'clock. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Would you sell anything? Try a Times Want "Ad."

WOMAN'S FANCIES

Timely Hints on Autumn Style

BETWEEN SEASON FASHIONS AS SHOWN IN SHOP WINDOWS

Shaggy Cloths for Street Dresses,
Nobby Hats, Capes and
Jackets to Be Worn.



THE woman who is slender is in luck this fall. Women who are not might as well go into a retreat until the fashions change. Most of the new wool stuffs are so thick and rough and shaggy that one might suppose that fashionable woman was planning a winter expedition in search of the North Pole. A nice, big white bear, sailing about on an ice floe, could change his coat for some of the fuzzy things now in the market, and not suffer at all, so far as anybody can see.

To look into a shop window or to sit down before a counter heaped high with the new things, means a surfeit of rich browns and blazing reds and living greens, woven loose and tufted to keep out the cold, dark

with bluish mother-of-pearl buttons at the sides. The bodice is round-waisted, finished with a blue ribbon belt, and worn with a long double cape, buttoned down the front and giving the effect of a coat until one catches a glimpse of its bright plaid lining.

A dress for Mrs. Iselin to wear when she leaves the Defender to inhabit once more the solid land is of dull blue camel's hair. The full skirt has seams strapped with black, and the close bodice has a bow of sable fur thrown loosely about the shoulders and tucked under the belt after the fashion of breteles.

A pretty little actress took me with her to see some hats at a private opening yesterday. There had been some disagreement about the costumes designed for the part she is to take in a new play, and she was looking the city over for things better suited to her ideas. She bought a piquant round bonnet of grass-green velvet, with an odd calash crown. This crown was kilted and about the face was a flower ruche of deep pink marshmallows. It was an odd and effective bit of headgear for an ingenuite, and incidentally, when admiring it, I noticed that rhinestones were very broad and hats very large and overtimed. The biggest hat I saw, and one which was put forward as likely to play a part in setting the autumn fashions, had a pleated brim of gray Dresden ribbon vaguely flowered with pink, turning downward from the edge to make the hat yet wider. The trimming was of black wings, standing erect, and mixed without rhyme or reason and yet not without beauty of effect, with black flowers.

Miss Helen Brice came in from Newport a few days ago and ordered a large

collar and fronts are faced with cream-colored silk, embroidered with gold.

The best of the new capes reach to the waist-line only and are just moderately full. Velvet is the usual material with feather bands for trimmings. For light wraps, before the cold weather sets in, the fitted collars of ostrich bands, coming in a point to the waist, back and front, and adjusted very deftly to the figure, are as fashionable as anything at the moment, but promise to become less popular to stay so.

Full circular coat capes, with epaulettes and collar trimmed with sable tails; close-fitting seal jackets, with large bishop sleeves and with epaulettes, cuffs and pelerine front of sable; collars of Russian sable with sable tails, square shoulder capes of seal, with sable tails for trimmings, seal capes



An Autumn Bride's Traveling Dress.

cut in folds to show pink brocade linings are among the novelties they show at the fur stores.

The golf cape is not so long as it used to be, but it is far more elaborate. It is not often now that you see last season's custom followed—a plain cloth with a brilliant lining. The newer capes are all plaid, bright blocks of double-faced material, outside and in. Tartan cloths are lined with tartan silks and have dark velvet straps and collars.

COLORS CHRISTIANS.

Washington District Conference to Begin Its Sessions Tomorrow.

The District conference of the Washington District of the Washington Conference of the A. M. E. Church will convene at 9 o'clock tomorrow in the Asbury M. E. Church.

The conference will be composed of the traveling and local preachers, the exhorters, the District stewards, the Sunday-school superintendents, the presidents of the Epworth League chapters, and class leaders from all of the churches which comprise the Washington district.

Rev. W. H. Brooks is the presiding elder of the District, and will preside over the deliberations of the conference.

The delegates will be welcomed to the city and church by Rev. D. W. Hays, pastor of Asbury Church.

The address of welcome on behalf of the church will be responded to by the Rev. J. J. Cecil, of St. Mary's M. E. Church.

The morning and afternoon sessions will be devoted to the appointment of committees, the hearing of reports, and addresses.

In the evening the annual sermon will be preached by Rev. Thomas H. Brooks, of Prossville, Md. The session of Friday morning will be occupied by the reports of the exhorters, the class leaders and the District stewards and the delivery of addresses.

At the evening session Rev. G. D. Johnson and Joshua Barnes will tell of the "Fearing Denominated by the Age."

Reports from the presidents of the Epworth League chapters will be read on Saturday, and the several committees will submit their reports. On Saturday the visiting clergymen will be assigned to the different city pulpits and will preach.

STEVENS COMPLETED HIS TRIP.

Army Officer Ends His 9,000-Mile Bicycle Tour.

New York, Sept. 17.—First Lieut. G. W. Stevens, of the First Artillery, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Hamilton, arrived in New York last evening from a bicycle tour ordered by Major General Mills, on Governor Island.

The lieutenant, who has ridden about 9,000 miles during the present year, started out on September 2 to ascertain the condition of certain roads for bicycle messengers, and the moving of troops in case of inability to use the railroads.

His trip took in Philadelphia, Wilmington, Washington, Mount Vernon and a portion of the route out toward the Shenandoah valley, in all covering about 800 miles. He was on the road only ten days of the time, two days of the time having been spent in Philadelphia, one in Wilmington, and two in Washington.

Between here and Philadelphia the roads were in excellent condition. Beyond Wilmington they were very poor. He traveled 248 miles coming from Washington, taking two days, thirty hours of which were on the road and twenty-three hours on the wheel, the seven hours in which he was not on the wheel being taken for meals or in walking where the roads were too heavy for riding.

SILVER MEN SEEK UNITY.

Various Organizations Meet to Effect a Consolidation.

Chicago, Sept. 17.—The leaders of the various free silver movements were in session at the Auditorium to-day endeavoring to agree upon some plan of unity of purpose and action.

There are a dozen different organizations of the bimetallic forces and three of national character—the bimetallic League, the Bimetallic Union, and the National Silver Committee, originating with the Memphis convention; Judge Miller, of the latter organization, and its president, presided at the conference.

Star Social Club's Banquet.

The Star Social Club, of East Washington, gave their annual banquet Monday evening at the residence of Mr. George Boyd, No. 711 Thirtieth street southeast. Music, dancing and games were the features of the evening. Among those present were Misses Bertha Woodard, Cattle Callahan, Loretta Callahan, Lottie Little, Bertie Taylor, Virgie Scooper, Ella Vintine, Mammie Austin, Nettie Cooper, Ida Aikard, Maggie Apstin, Fannie Summers, Lilla Little, Messrs. W. Padgett, William Boyd, J. P. Boyd, Richard C. Langley, H. Bucke, C. Goodale, George Boyd, George Johnson, F. Cooksey, P. Padgett, A. Fom, H. Sears, C. Hooker, R. Curry, R. Jones, E. Paxson, B. Dement, J. Smith and Bernard Dement. Mr. Richard interested the club with a fancy dance and Miss Ella Vintine gave a solo.

Have you rooms to rent? A Times Want "Ad." will fill them promptly.

IN CAMP AT FOREST GLEN

Mesdames Manning and Buhrman to Chaperon a Party of Fifteen.

Dr. Samuel C. Bussey's Return to the City—Mrs. Harriet Ralston Back From Rock Eton Springs.

A party of about fifteen young people, chaperoned by Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Buhrman, will leave to-morrow to go into camp at Forest Glen. They will rough it for two weeks. Mr. Lumsaire, the watercolor artist, will be one of the party and will make sketches of groupings and the surrounding scenery.

Mr. John L. Waggaman and Mr. Seymour McLeod are back in their bachelor's quarters on R street.

The Spanish minister, Senor Dupuy de Lome, who spent last week in the city, left on Sunday for the North.

The Italian ambassador arrived in Washington yesterday from Lenox. During his stay in the city he will be at No. 1537 I street. In the course of a few days Baron Fava will return to Lenox and remain there with his wife for the autumn season.

Mrs. Francis J. O'Neill has been spending a few days in New York with her husband, who went there a week or ten days ago since to recuperate after his serious illness. Mrs. O'Neill will return to the city before accompanying her husband on his travels for the winter.

Lieut. and Mrs. Chaucery Thomas are at the Hotel Farm, near College Park, Md., which property they recently purchased.

Dr. S. S. Adams, after a visit to Norfolk, has returned to the city. Mrs. Adams will not return to Washington until some time in October.

Ex-Representative and Mrs. O'Neill have had as their guests at their summer home at Tiverton, near Newport, during the season Mrs. Frank P. Burke and Master Frank Burke. During the summer they visited with their guests several of the leading Northern resorts.

Mrs. and Miss Bessie O'Hare have returned to the city from a stay at Newport and Boston.

Mrs. Harriet Ralston has returned from Rock Eton Springs, where she went to recuperate from her illness. Mrs. Ralston is at present with her son, Mr. J. H. Ralston, at Hyattsville.

Dr. Samuel C. Bussey has returned to the city, accompanied by his nieces, the Misses Burroughs, who have spent the season at Narragansett. Dr. Bussey has entirely recovered from the effects of his severe accident of last winter.

Mr. J. G. Ford, of the British embassy, who has been accredited to Constantinople, will start in a few days for his new post of duty.

The Secretary of the Interior has returned to the city from his recent visit to Georgia.

Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Nash have taken apartments for the winter at the Port Hotel. They will occupy them after the 1st of October. Mrs. Nash has returned to the city from Bozema Vista and New York city.

Mrs. Burton Harrison has decided not to spend the autumn at Bar Harbor, as was one time anticipated. She has leased her cottage, the Sea Urchins, to Mr. Henry M. Whitney, of Boston, for the autumn.

Mr. Le Ghatt, the Belgian minister, will spend the autumn at Newport, where he was one of the guests at Mrs. William Astor's farewell dinner a week since.

Count Vinc, of the Italian embassy, is now at Lenox, where he will spend the autumn. The Marquis de Montagnaro, also of the Italian embassy, will spend the autumn with him at Lenox.

The Duke of Marlborough, during his stay at Lenox, is to be the guest of Mrs. William Douglas Sloane, who will give a dinner and dance in honor of her titled guest. The duke's idea in going to Lenox is to attend the golf tournament.

The Italian ambassador and Baroness Fava have leased the Peters cottage at Lenox for the autumn season.

Hon. William C. Whitney, after a business visit of several days in St. Louis, is expected to return to Mossley Hall, Bar Harbor, for the autumn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sanderson have sent out cards for the marriage of their daughter Viola to Mr. Charles E. Hoover, Wednesday evening, October 2, at 8 o'clock. Trinity M. E. Church. A reception will follow at the residence of the bride, No. 1613 Marion street northwest, from 8:30 to 10:30.

Advices received at the British legation yesterday were to the effect that Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, sailed from England for New York on Saturday last on the Campania, and is due at New York on Saturday next. He will probably not go to Canada, as expected, but will go to Newport for a few days before coming to Washington. Lady Pauncefote and her daughters will not sail for this country until early in November.

Attorney General Harmon, Secretary Herbert, and Secretary Smith left Washington at 10:40 o'clock last night in the private car West Virginia for Chattanooga, to be present at the opening of the Chickamauga National Park. Mr. J. S. Cohen, private secretary to Secretary Smith, accompanied the party, which will arrive at Chattanooga at 8 p. m. to-day.

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Advertisements will be given out to-day for the two battleships. Bids will be received November 30. The time for the completion of the work is limited to three years.

In the advertisement the contractors will be requested to bid for the ships with and without armor, the Secretary not having made up his mind as to the value of the suggestion made by Chief Constructor Nicholson and submitted by Captain Sampson, Chief of the Ordnance Bureau.

Constructor Nicholson in a report to the Secretary some days ago contended that it would be conducive both to economy and better work to have the vessels built under contract and turned over under full armor. Captain Sampson holds to a contrary view, but inasmuch as his report was only given to the Secretary yesterday its contents have not been made public.

ACCUSES HIS PARTNER.

Mr. Hartley Asks to Dissolve His Business Relations With R. O. Edmonston.

William B. Hartley, a member of the firm of R. O. Edmonston & Co., grocers, at the corner of Eighth and D streets northwest, has brought suit against his partner, Mr. Edmonston, for a dissolution of the partnership, the appointment of a receiver and an accounting of the receipts and disbursements of the firm.

The petitioner also asked for an injunction against Mr. Edmonston preventing him from disposing of any more of the firm's property. Judge Bradley made the defendant's answer returnable September 23.

Mr. Hartley stated that he has discovered that Mr. Edmonston has applied much of the partnership money to his own use and has failed to allow the complainant to examine the firm books.

DEMANDED JURY TRIAL.

Ashburn Gives Bond to Appear on the Gambling Charge.

Addison O. Ashburn, who was arrested last night by Sergt. Schilling, of the First precinct, for running a gambling house, asked for a jury trial before Judge Kimball yesterday and left \$300 bonds for his appearance.

Ashburn is the proprietor of the Ashburn Buffet, at No. 606 Thirteenth street northwest. The police had been watching the place for a long time, and concluded to make a raid at the first opportunity.

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armed with a raid warrant and assisted by one who had entered to the place, the officers pushed in and arrested, besides the proprietor, Hugh M. Ashburn, Leona Roth and Richard O' Connor, and locked them up as United States witnesses.

The police seized a quantity of chips and money and other gambling effects. Ashburn attempted to prevent the officers' entrance and also throw away some of the coin, but was frustrated in each instance. The United States witnesses were released on their personal bonds.

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